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To:

Secretary of Samoan Affairs, CEOs, Presidents, Executive Directors,

Directors, Agency and Office Heads

From:

Governor

Subject:

Wellness Hour Initiative

The onset of every new year brings hope, promise, and resolutions. Lt. Governor Talauega and I resolve to effect health initiatives that promote overall wellness in mind, body, and soul.

Aligning with this initiative, I hereby authorize all American Samoa Government employees to implement a "Wellness Hour" every Tuesday and Thursday. Cabinet members must develop an in-house schedule to avoid disruption of government services. A healthy workforce is a productive workforce.

Please contact Chief of Staff Tuimavave T. Laupola for any questions or concerns.